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Applicant : Steven D. MILLER  
Filed : January 21, 2003  
Group Art Unit : Unassigned  
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For: "System for the Detection and Enhancement of Atmospheric Dust Over Land and Ocean"

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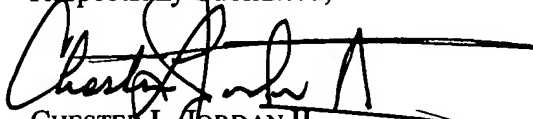
**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir:

Enclosed is a PETITION TO CONVERT PROVISIONAL APPLICATION TO NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION pertaining to the above-identified patent application. Kindly charge the \$130.00 petition fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge an appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0281. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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This is to request that the Provisional Application No. **60/441,268**, filed **January 21, 2003**, entitled **"System for the Detection and Enhancement of Atmospheric Dust Over Land and Ocean"**, now be converted to a Non-Provisional Application. The petition fee of \$130.00 and a Preliminary Amendment to add claims to the application are included herewith. Kindly charge additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

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